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<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
5,340,616	Amano et al.	08-23-1994

Foreign Patent Documents

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EP	0 958 865	Bando Chemical Industries, Ltd	11-24-1999
EP	0 982 120	Bando Chemical Industries, Ltd	03-01-2000
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WO	98/11999	Valmet Corporation	03-26-1998
WO	00/03092	Valmet Corporation	01-20-2000
WO	03/076717	Metso Paper, Inc.	09-18-2003

Other Documents

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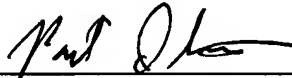
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